

MARKET ENFORCEMENT ADVISORY

New Complaints against Handlers and Processors

The California Department of Food and Agriculture's Market Enforcement Branch received verified complaints against the following handlers and processors of California agricultural products during August 2008. These cases are currently under review.

LOS ANGELES DISTRICT OFFICE

LICENSEE/RESPONDENT	CITY/STATE	COMMODITY INVOLVED
Suntrack Corporation	Visalia	Oranges
Casitas Nursery	Somis	Nursery Stock

SACRAMENTO DISTRICT OFFICE

LICENSEE/RESPONDENT	CITY/STATE	COMMODITY INVOLVED
Golden Eagle Estates LLC	Murphys	Wine Grapes
Nuccio & Wise	Napa	Wine Grapes
Guadalupe Pasos Sr.	Madera	Wine Grapes
Synergy Cellars LLC	Lockeford	Wine Grapes

SAN FRANCISCO DISTRICT OFFICE

LICENSEE/RESPONDENT	CITY/STATE	COMMODITY INVOLVED
Alex R. Thomas & Co	Ukiah	Pears
Golden Farm Produce	San Jose	Mixed Fruits & Vegetables

All complaints and inquiries should be directed to the Market Enforcement Branch Headquarters office in Sacramento. Telephone (916) 341-6276.

RECENTLY RELEASED RESULTS of ADMINISTRATIVE HEARINGS HELD

The following license action was taken in August 2008, by order of the California Department of Food and Agriculture.

LICENSEE/RESPONDENT License #	COUNTY	COMMODITY INVOLVED	LICENSE ACTION
Linden Associated Growers Inc 14175 East Highway 26 Linden, California 95236	San Joaquin	Fruits	Revoked
Sogno Winery Inc 3046 Ponderosa Road Shingles Springs, CA 95682	El Dorado	Wine Grapes	Denied

The Market Enforcement Branch administers provisions of the California Food and Agricultural Code aimed at protecting producers and licensees in California farm product transactions. The program is funded by handlers and processors of California farm products through license fees.